

**NOTICE OF PUBLIC HEARING
CALIFORNIA REGIONAL WATER QUALITY CONTROL BOARD
SAN DIEGO REGION**

Pursuant to the requirements of the NPDES permitting program for the discharge of wastewater to navigable waters, the California Regional Water Quality Control Board, San Diego Region (Regional Board) intends to consider the following NPDES permit actions:

1. NPDES Permit Reissuance: General Waste Discharge Requirements for the Discharges of Hydrostatic Test Water and Potable Water to Surface Waters and Storm Drains or Other Conveyance Systems within the San Diego Region (Tentative Order No. R9-2009-0094, NPDES Permit No. CAG679001)
2. NPDES Permit Reissuance: Waste Discharge Requirements for General Dynamics National Steel and Shipbuilding Company (NASSCO) Discharge to San Diego Bay, San Diego County (Tentative Order No. R9-2009-0099, NPDES Permit No. CA0109134)
3. NPDES Permit Reissuance: Waste Discharge Requirements for the United States Department of the Navy, Naval Base San Diego, including the United States Navy Graving Dock, Discharge to San Diego Bay, San Diego County (Tentative Order No. R9-2009-0100, NPDES Permit No. CA0109169)

The Regional Board wishes to obtain public input on these matters. The Regional Board will hear oral comments and consider written comments associated with the above listed proposed actions at its meeting on August 12, 2009 beginning at 9:00 a.m. in the Regional Board Meeting Room, 9174 Sky Park Court, San Diego, California.

Interested persons are invited to attend to present comments. Oral statements will be heard, but for the accuracy of the record, significant comments should be submitted in writing.

To ensure that the Regional Board has the opportunity to fully study and consider written material, comments should be received in the Regional Board's office no later than 5:00 P.M. on Wednesday, July 29, 2009. Written comments received after 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, August 5, 2009 will not be provided to the Regional Board members prior to the hearing. Written comments must be mailed, faxed, or delivered to the Regional Board's office at:

9174 Sky Park Court
Suite 100
San Diego, CA 92123
Phone: (858) 467-2952
FAX: (858) 571-6972

Comments may also be submitted by e-mail subject to the above time deadlines and as long as the total submittal (including attachments) does not exceed five printed pages in length. E-mail comments must be submitted to:

RB9agenda@waterboards.ca.gov to ensure consideration by the Regional Board. Insert the word "Agenda" in the subject line.

Pursuant to Title 23, California Code of Regulations, Section 648.4, the Regional Board may refuse to admit written testimony into evidence if it is not submitted to the Regional Board in a timely manner, unless the proponent can demonstrate why he or she was unable to submit the material on time or that compliance with the deadline would create an unreasonable hardship.

Information related to these matters is currently, or will be shortly, available and may be reviewed at the Regional Board's office or on the Regional Board's web page at <http://www.waterboards.ca.gov/sandiego>.

For information regarding Item No. 1 above, please contact Ms. Michelle Mata at (858) 467-2981 or by email at mmata@waterboards.ca.gov.

For information regarding the remaining items, please contact Mr. Vicente Rodriguez at (858) 627-3940 or by email at vrodriquez@waterboards.ca.gov.

Please bring the foregoing to the attention of any person known to you who would be interested in these matters.

JOHN H. ROBERTUS
Executive Officer
June 28, 2009